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Senator Kean and his sisters, the Misses

Kean, welcomed three hundred guests last night, many of whom met again today at the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Emlen Roosevelt, the latter a sister of the host, and their five children are now here, and with other New York relatives enjoyed last night's gathering. Mrs. La Follette will be at home at the

Ontario Thursday, February 22, from 3 to 6. She will make this last Thursday of 6. She will make this last Thursday of the season something of a Wisconsin day and all Wisconsin people visiting or residing in the city will be welcome. Miss La Follette, the eldest daughter of Senator and Mrs. La Folette, who is at present studying in New York city, is expected home for the holiday. The following Wisconsin women have been invited to luncheon and to assist in receiving: Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Weisse, Mrs. Hazelton, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Comstock, Miss Otjen, Thompson, Mrs. Comstock, Miss Otjen, Miss Morton, Miss Dunn, Miss Updegraff, Miss Marion Jones of Madison, Wis., and Miss Margaret Hodgins of Marinette, Wis.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Taft entertained at dinner last evening the Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, the Swiss minister, Senator Hale, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, Representative Hull, Gen. and Mrs. Henry G. Sharpe, Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. Lowndes, Mrs. Donald Cameron, Mrs. Slater, Capt. and Mrs. Morton Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Sereno Payne.

Mrs. Brewer, wife of Mr. Justice Brewer, was hostess at a tea yesterday afternoon, when those assisting were the daughter of the host. Mrs. Karrick, Miss Anderson, Miss Ridgeley, Miss Allen and Miss Perkins.

A birthday party was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Pitman Carter in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of their son, Elmer Pitman, Tuesday, February 13, at their residence, 527 2d street southeast, Refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated table. The centerpiece was a large birthday cake, with eight candles. The little ones enjoyed the donkey game, the first prize going to Miss Helen Smith and the booby prize to Miss Jessadee Run beck. Those present were Edna Fowler Ella Lloyd, Irene and Alice Bankert, Ma-rion Davison, Helen Smith, Rose Holmes Margaret and Jessadee Runbeck, Eunice Cotter and Beulah Newkirk, and Paul Holmes, Elmer Smith, Jesse Lloyd, Alfred Spirey, Clarence Evans, Chas. Payne, Trenholme Lackie, Irving Elfason and El-mer Carter, Mrs. Geo. Heck, Mrs. Howard Lloyd, Mrs. Wm. Runbeck, Mrs. John Un-glaub, Mrs. Trenholme Lackle, Mrs. John Newkirk, Miss May Prendeville and Mr. C.

Miss Gertrude Dorsey pleasantly enter-tained a number of her friends last Tues-day evening. The early part of the evening was spent in music, singing and games. The first prize was won by Miss Florence Fladung, the booby by Miss Jessie Berry Later the party adjourned to the dining room, where refreshments were served. Among those present were Misses Florence and Alphonse Fladung, Mary Conner, Katherine Soter, Flora McQuade, Susie Nyman, Susie and Jessie Berry, Rose Kennelly and Susan Dorsey, and Messrs. Kennelly, Dove, Smith. Dorsey, Emerson, King, Hardy, Browne, Wasner and Murphy.

Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Hathaway will be at home Tuesday, February 27, at 1314 13th

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Union Lodge, K. of P., gave a euchre party in the lodge room on Wednesday evening last, which prize-winners were Mrs. Frank Padgett. Mrs. Ella Woodward, Mrs. W. C. Dean, Mrs. S. Crupper, Miss Mary Steiner, Miss Murray and Miss Charlotte Davis, and Messrs, A. Rusher, Yundt, T. Padgett, Frank Padgett, J. H. Huston, McCartney and G. Scheck. After the cards refresh-ments were served. Mrs. D. E. Hardester was the chairman of the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy of 2114 1st street northwest entertained at a birthday party in honor of their daughter Blanche last Sunday evening. Games and dancing were followed by refreshments. Miss Sadie Gompers, daughter of the president of the A. F. of L. playing the march, also rendering numerous selections, which were greeted with great applause. Miss Rhena Elulich gave several recitations and fancy dances. Among those present were Misses Rhena Ehrlich, Ida Wolf, Cecil Marks, Rosa Breslau, Pauline Cohen, Blanche Levy, Rhea Levy, Rosa Levy, Lillian Levy, Florence Gompers, Carman Qusada, Ida and Ross Donovan of California, Elenor Cohen, Frank Marks, Eddie Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, Mrs. Raucher, Mrs. Y. Laupheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Ehrlich, Mr. S. Bres-lau, Miss Sarah Levy, the Misses E. and V. Laupheimer, Mr. Silvan Laupheimer, Mrs. Wolf, Miss Sad'e Gompers, Mrs. Al. Gom-Mrs. S. Gompers, Mr. Strasburger, Mr. M. David, Miss David, Miss Rice, Mr. Ehrlich, Mr. C. Raucher, Mr. and Mrs. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Levy.

The members of the Capitol Hill History Club were entertained Wednesday at a luncheon given by Mrs. O. H. Briggs and Mrs. J. W. Hall at the home of the latter, after which the regular meeeting of the club was held. Twenty-three members and four visitors were present. Papers on the history, resources and industries of Kansas, Missouri and Arkansas were read by Mrs. Shook, Mrs. Cushman and Mrs. Waterman. Shook, Mrs. Cushman and Mrs. Waterman. Biographical sketches were given as follows: "Mark Twain," by Mrs. Charles Fisher; "Stephen A. Douglas," by Mrs. Julius Wilson; "Eugene Field," by Mrs. W. E. Cochran; "Albert Pike," by Mrs. H. B. Mattox. A paper on the "Louisiana Purchase" was read by Mrs. Hortos. chase" was read by Mrs. Horine.

The club will meet February 28 at the home of Mrs. A. C. Webb, 314 10th street

A reception and tea was given yesterday afternoon at the Washington Seminary, 2107 S street northwest, from 4 to 7. Mrs. C. T. Smallwood received, assisted by Mrs George B. Cortelyou. Miss Lane and Mrs. Ordway presided at the tea table in the dining room. The drawing and dining rooms were tastefully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. Those present were: Miss Mason, Miss Avery, Miss Meigs, Mrs. Harrison, Miss Runeman and Miss Har-grove of Pennsylvania, Miss Mann of West Virginia, Miss Morrison and Miss Simmons of North Carolina, Miss Ewing of Massa-chusetts, the Misses Runn of Pennsylvania, Miss Rogers of Illinois, Miss Winters of Iowa, Miss Holdren of Ohio, Mrs. Murphy of Alabama, Miss Flourer of Onto, Mrs. Murphy of Alabama, Miss Young of Tennessee, Miss Barstoll of Rhode Island, Miss Keeler of Tennessee, Miss Goldsborough and Miss Hargis of Maryland, Miss Shepherd of Iowa, Miss Flidinger of Ohlo, Miss Mor-rison of Iowa, Miss Ford, Miss Shute and the Misses Davis of this city.

The Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks The Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks entertained at dinner last night complimentary to Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris. Among the additional guests were Senator and Mrs. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Garfield, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fairbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Timmons and Prof. Charles Chiefes Swieder.

Mrs. Sully Burbank Maize, 1652 Irving street, will be at home February 21 and 28.

Mrs. Charles G. Eennett arrived last evening from New York, where she has been spending the winter, and will remain at the Shoreham for a week, when she returns to New York.

Mrs. Calvin Neilson will be at home Monday, February 19, from 3 to 6. Mrs. John Morris Ellicott will not receive on February 20, but will be at home on February 27 for the last time this sea-

Mrs. John Morris Ellicott, wife of Lieut. Commander Ellicott, has eards out for a tea February 24 in honor of Mrs. and Miss King of Baltimore and Miss Bull of New York.

Mrs. W. H. Sholes will not be at home Monday, February 19, but will receive informally Monday afternoon, February 26.

Mrs. George O'Connor will be at home

Monday afternoon at 636 East Capitol that which is taken off or something elec-

Mrs. Frank Lutz will not be at home this Tuesday, but will receive on Tuesday, February 27.

Mrs. Wharton E. Lester will entertain at a children's box party Tuesday afternoon. The guests are Lenora Preston, Margaret Pritton and Edith, Ruth and Catharine

The ladies of Washington College, 3d and The ladies of Washington College, 3d and T streets northeast, were the hostesses yesterday afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock at a pleasant at home. The receiving line, which was headed by Mrs. Flournoy Menefee and Miss Menefee, greeted the guests in the reception hall leading to the east parior. The decorations in the room where refreshments were served were especially pretty. In this room the characteristics cially pretty. In this room the chandallers had been wreathed and woven about with a material of a dainty red, which threw a subdued light about the room, which was especially pleasing to many of the

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following:

Thomas H. Sprague of Rochester, N. Y. and Mary A. Mason of this city. J. P. Mac-an and Lillie C. Mueiler. Milton R. Lee and Lillian A. Bose, both

of Baltimore, Md.
Walter Gouldthorpe and Margaret E.
Babst, both of Warrenton, Va.
George Washington and Lucinda Berry.
Domenic J. Lonoyama and Margaret

Madison Jefferson and Reeda Gray. Hugh McL. Walker of Augusta, Ga., and Elizabeth K. Dodge of this city.

Deaths in the District.

Deaths were reported to the health office during the past twenty-four hours as fol-

Caroline Burnett, 70 years, 331 V street

James C. Burch, 26 years, 3030 Cambridge John W. Burkhard, 5 months, 1116 Build-

ing road. Rose Collins, 45 years, 18th and G streets northwest. Percy J. Eckels, 31 years, Government Hospital for Insane.

Prudentia Frost, of years, 613 Massachusetts avenue Moses Harris, 52 years, By street south-James W. Jackson, 64 years, 2125 Twyne alley northwest James Ed Johnson, 45 years, 1103 3d

street northwest. Dennis Leary, 81 years, h and 3d streets Francina B. Lancaster, 14 days, 1119 C Addie Maher, 55 years, 712 H street south-

Eliza M. McNulty, 76 years, 918 M street northwest Della B. Mullen, 55 years, 1322 18th street northwest James Nalls, 60 years, 505 D street north-Henry Perry, 61 years, Washington Asy-

lum Hospital.

Addie E. Rowe, 55 years, 218 Jackson John H. Sprigg, 2 years, 1515 Turner Ellen Turner, 60 years, 1428 Decatur court northwest. Robert Tycon, 10 months, 1124 23d street northwest.

Hotel Arrivals.

Arlington-H. S. Vanderbilt, New York; Julian Codman, Boston; P. S. Miller and Mrs. Miller, Philadelphia; Harry C. Ross, Harrisburg, Pa.; Frank V. Millard and Mrs. Millard, Tarrytown, N. Y.; Mrs. O. M. Mille, Paterson, N. J.; M. L. Pruid, Stillwater, Minn.; Lafayette Young and Mrs. Young, Des Moines, Iowa; J. J. Litchen, Stillwater, Minn.

Shoreham-W. J. Henley and Mrs. Henley, New York; A. S. Fussell, New York city; Andrew Thompson and Mrs. Thomp-son, Honesdale, Pa.; D. T. Campbus, Mrs. Campbus and Miss Campbus, Glow Ridge, N. J.; George N. Riley and Mrs. Riley Pittsburg, Pa.; Charles B. Alexander, H. F. Wuhus and Mrs. J. A. Wuhus, New York, Ebbitt-C. J. Smith, Cape Charles, Va. L. B. Gardner and Mrs. Gardner, Hackensack, N. J.; H. H. Prindinson, Jonesville, Va.; G. C. Brock and Mrs. Brock, Lowell, Mass.; C. Butler, Denver, Col.; James W. Aide, New York; J. Deutach, Chicago, Ill.; H. F. Fleming, Momphis, Tann. H. E. Fleming, Memphis, Tenn.
New Willard—James J. Scully and Mrs.
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Ashland, Wis.; D. C. Anderson, Watch Hill,

Ashland, Wis.; D. C. Anderson, Watch Hill, R. I., A. L. Schein, Cleveland, Ohio; L. P. McLaren, Perth, Ontario, Canada; B. Arnold and B. Arnold, jr., Cincinnati; Charles L. Roos, Kansas City, Mo. Raleigh-W. T. Rhode, Philadelphia; J. T. Griggs, Maryland; F. A. Whelan, Weston, W. Va.; R. J. O. Dwyer, Texarkana, Ark.; J. C. Sanford, U.S.A.; W. A. Plummer, San Francisco, Cal.; G. W. Butt, Norfolk, Va.; W. B. Parsons, Red Bank, N. J.; Charles B. Branner, Richmond, Va. The St. James-M. H. Forte and Mrs. Forte Pittsfield, Mass.; E. A. Wanan, Bris-The St. James—M. H. Forte and Mrs. Forte, Pittsfield, Mass.; E. A. Wanan, Bristol, Tenn.; J. H. Sewall, Boston; C. W. Austin, U.S.N.; E. E. De Graft annd Mrs. De Graft, Rochester, N. Y.; J. A. Gould, Athens, Pa.; Mrs. A. E. Man, Boston; S. H. Miller, Los Angeles; E. Schultze, Orange, N. J.; C. F. Pattee, Boston; W. W. Smith, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Hotel Normandie—J. E. Rittenhouse and Mrs. Rittenhouse, New York; Miss L. Lee, New York; Miss K. E. Lee, New York; George S. Holmes, New York; Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Walker, cincinnati, Ohio; Miss M. A. Mellor, Jersey City; J. E. Cook and Mrs. Cook, Philadelphia.

POLLUTION OF RIVERS.

Commissioners to Extend Invitations for Conference.

Responding to a request of the District Medical Society Commissioner Macfarland has suggested that the Commissioners extend an invitation to the surgeon general of the public health and marine hospital service, the chief of the bureau of hydroeconomics of the geological survey, the president of the Fish and Game Protective Association, the president of the Board of Trade, the president of the Business Men's Association, a representative of each of the local citizens' associations, and a representative of each of the states and terrisentitive of each of the states and terri-tories, to meet here, if possible, prior to February 27. The question to be consid-ered at the proposed meeting concerns the pollution of the Potomac and other navigable rivers, with a view to securing na-tional legislation, which will prevent such pollution, and securing the co-operation of the states and territories in that regard.

Replenishing the Soil. To the Editor of The Star:

James J. Hill of the Great Northern is quoted as saying that very soon all our available agricultural lands will be occupled and that the arable section of Canada is rapidly settling with emigrants from the United States and foreign countries. This is true, but if we will but learn a lesson from the Chinese, our country will support a population of five hundred millions, as well as our present population of less than one Victor Hugo says, in substance, that the

reason China has supported her dense pop-ulation for centuries without diminishing the strength of the soil is because she has the strength of the soil is because she has not wasted the fertility through a sewer system. He also sayes that the sewers of Paris' drain the republic of \$500,000,000 arrually, and that the waste of the sewers of Rome not only impoverished the Campagna, but also vast sections of the empire. The same steady and ever-increasing waste is seen in a hundred rapidly growing American cities. Our generation is rather selfis seen in a hundred rapidly growing American cities. Our generation is rather selfish and in many things we don't plan further ahead than for the generation that is to follow. The time may come when this immense waste, instead of poliuting our rivers, will be utilized upon the land. Ancient history speaks of the large plane trees and hixuriant vegetation that grew along the Itissus in Greece, where now grow bushes and goat grass. With all her wisdem and philosophy, Greece lacked the practical mind that has kept China in a flourishing condition for successive centuries. condition for successive centuries.

Whether or not the year 4000 A, D, will witness the United States of America a productive, progressive country or an im-poverished, decadent one depends upon the

in its stead, which is perhaps impracticable except to a limited extent. J. R. HENCH.

The funeral services of the late Willam H. Rynex took place yesterday at 10 o'clock from the residence of his son, 632 G street northwest. The deceased was seventy-nine years of age. He had a wide circle of friends. He was employed at the store of Lansburgh & Co., where he had been for a number of years. He was regarded as a man of high character, and his genial and kindly disposition made for him a host of friends.

DIED.

ALFORD. On Friday, February 16, 1996, at 1:45
a.m., ELIZABETH M. ALFORD.
The relatives and friends of the family are cordially invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her niece, Mrs. L. F. O'Reilly, 220 Delaware avenue northeast. Solemn requiem mass at St. Joseph's Church at 9:30 a.m., February 19, luterment at Mt. Olives cemetery.

ALLEN. On Saturday, February 17, 1906, at the Leuise Home, Mrs. LOUISE ALLEN of Lynch-burg, Va.

NTEEN. On Saturday, February 17, 1966, CATHERINE L. BENLEEN, widow of the late Gen. Benteen.

'uneral services at St. Thomas' Episcopal

Church, Monday at 11:30 a.m. Interment in

Arlington. (St. Lools, Atlanta, Ga., San An
tonio and New London papers please copy). 2*

uneral from St. Augustine's Church, 15th street between L and M streets northwest, Monday, February 19, at 9 o'clock a.m.

COAKLEY. Departed this life on Thursday, Feb-ruary 15, 1906, at 5 o'clock, Miss FRANCIS ELLEN COAKLEY, at her residence, 1242 Potomac street northwest.

Service at Holy Trinity Charch. Requiem mass

Monday, the 19th Instent, at 9 a.m. Relatives
and friends respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Holy Rood.

OUES. On Friday, February 16, 1906, Mrs.
MARY EMILY BATES COUES, widow of Dr.
Elliott Coues.
meral services at her late residence, 1726 N
street northwest, on Monday, February 19, at
1:30 o'clock p.m. interment at Arlington.
Private.

FROST. On Thursday, February 15, 1906, at 11:55 p.m., at George Washington University Hos-pital, PRUDENCE A. FROST, aged slaty-eight Funeral from her late residence, 613 Massachusetts svenue northwest. Sonday, February 18. The remains will be sent to Ellicott City, Md. Services at St. Peter's Episcopal Church at 2 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at St. John's cemetery. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

PANSON. On February 17, 1906, at \$:30 a.m., Miss EMILY CLAY PANSON, daughter of the late Griffith W. Panson of Virginia. Services at her home, 200 A street southeast, Sun-day at 4 p.m. Interment at Waterford, Va.

"Servant of God, well done. Juneral on Sunday, February 18, at 2 p.m., from Israel C. M. E. Church, 1st and B streets southwest. Relatives and friends lavited to at-tend.

SANFORD. On February 16, 1906, at her real-dence, No. 2008 3d street northwest, Mrs. POSIE (MINOR) SANFORD. Funeral from her late residence, No. 2008 3d street northwest, Monday, February 19, at 3 o'clock

SCOTT. On Saturday, February 17, 1908, 1755 Scaton street northwest, AMANDA, the beloved wife of William Scott, daughter of Mrs. Bar-bra Johnson and shater of Louise Jackson. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SUMMY. On Friday, February 16, 1906, at mid-night, IDA M. IRWIN, wife of Orlando D. Sammy and mother of Mrs. Carolyn M. Kirby, Funeral service at late residence, No. 929 19th street northwest, at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Feb-ruary 19. Interment private.

WHITE. On Saturday, February 17, 1908, at 10:20 a.m., ABNER, beloved husband of Mary C. White, at his residence, 1502 Earlid street. Notice of funeral hereafter.

today, February 17, 1889.

Servant of God, well done;
The plorious warfare's past,
The battle's fought and the race is won,
And thou art crowned at last.

HIS LOVING SISTER, MARIA E. BROWN. GRINDER. In loving remembrance of my dear mother, HANNAH E. GRINDER, who died six years ago tomorrow, February 18, 1800. May her soul rest in peace.

SCROGGINS. In loving remembrance of LAURA L. SCROGGINS, who departed this life seven years ago, February 17, 1899.

A bitter grief, a shock severe, To part with one we love so dear. Our loss is great, we can't complain, But trust in God to meet again. BY SISTER AND FRIEND.

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BIDDLE. The remains of the late HIRAM R. BIDDLE will be taken from the vault at Rock Creek and interred in the family lot on Monday, February 19, 1800, at 2 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

CADY. Suddenly, on Saturday, February 17, 1906, at his bome, Takoma Park, D. C., H. A. CADY. Notice of funeral later. (Richmond papers please

CARROLL. On Friday, February 16, 1966, at 9:35
a.m., at her residence, 1628 Florida avenue
northwest, MARY T. CARROLL.

DAVIS. On Thursday, February 15, 1906, at Phil-adelphia, JOSEPH B., beloved son of the late John R. and Elliza J. Davis and brother of John, Henry, Julia and Agnes Davis. Notice of funeral hereafter.

EARLEY, On Friday, February 16, 1906, at p.m., JAMES F. EARLEY, in his forty-eighth year.

Notice of funeral hereafter,

GODMAN. On Friday, February 16, 1906, at 6 o'clock p.m., MARY JANE, widow of the late John T. Godman. John T. Godman. uneral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Benzel, Mt. Rainier, Md., Sunday, February 18, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

HARDING, Suddenly, at Woodside, Md., FRAN-CIS V. HARDING, son of the late Dr. Josiah

OWENS. Departed this life, February 17, 1906, at 7 a.m., GEORGE W. OWENS, beloved husband of Kate A. Owens.
Funeral Monday, February 19, from his late residence, 621 H street southwest, at 2:30 p.m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

POLLEN. On Friday, February 16, 1906, at her residence, 1924–12th street northwest, after a brief filness, Mrs. LUCY E. POLLEN, widow of Heury M. Pollen, daughter of Mrs. Amanda and the late Authory Moxicy and mother of Lula E. A., Mamie B. and J. Shelton Pollen.

QUILL. On Saturday, February 17, 1906, PAU-LINE, beloved daughter of John and Elizabeth Quill, age fifteen, Notice of funeral in Sunday papers.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SMITH. Departed this life, on February 16, 1906, at 4:55 p.m., at her residence, 1230 M street northwest, CHARLOTTE, beloved wife of the late Stephen Smith and mother of Mary C., Annie M. and Abraham.

Funeral from People's Church, M street between 6th and 7th streets northwest, Monday, February 19, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

SULVEY. Departed this life, February 14, 1996,
MARY PRATT SULVEY, the beloved mother of
Anna E. Garner and William E. Pratt, at her
residence, No. 815 14th street northwest.
Tuneral Sunday, February 18, at 1 p.m., from
Metropolitan Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church, D
street between 2d and 3d southwest.

In Memoriam. ADDISON. In loving remembrance of my dear brather, WM. H. ADDISON, who entered into rest on that beautiful shore seventeen years ago

Grant him, O Lord, eternal rest, and may light perpetual shine upon him, and his soul rest in

. BY HER DAUGHTER DOLLIE.

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